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MEDIA ADVISORY

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Shelby Park Master Plan Public Meeting Scheduled for February 5

WHO: Metropolitan Board of Parks and Recreation

WHAT: Metro Parks is in the initial stages of developing Shelby Park's first master plan. Critical to the planning process is participation by neighbors, stakeholder groups, and the general public. Interested parties are asked to share ideas, concerns and other issues at the first public meeting. *Everton Oglesby Architects and Hawkins Partners, Landscape Architects*, have been contracted to develop the plan.

Shelby Park's first 151 acres opened to the public in 1912. Additional land was later added. Shelby Park hosted the first city baseball league in 1915, and remains home to Nashville's oldest municipal golf course, which opened in 1924

WHEN: 6:30 p.m., Thursday, February 5, 2009

WHERE: East Literature Magnet School (Downstairs Cafeteria)
110 Gallatin Road